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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re U.S. Patent Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 2874  
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Chang Hee LEE *et al.* ) Examiner: M. Connelly Cushwa  
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Serial Number: 09/912,358 ) Attorney Docket: LEEC3048beu  
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Filed: July 26, 2001 ) Confirmation No.: 6696  
  
For: 4-Port Wavelength Selective Router

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION  
FOR PATENT ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER  
37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)

Honorable Commissioner For Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA. 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests revival of the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR §1.137(b).

The application became abandoned on January 7, 2004, for failure to prosecute the application, and in particular for failure to submit the required issue fee.

The abandonment of the application for failure to prosecute was an unintentional delay. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date until the filing of this petition was unintentional.

The reason for the delay is that the Applicant's representative in Korea inadvertently failed to instruct the undersigned concerning the payment of the prior to the due date. Despite reminders, the Applicant's Korean representative did not discover the error until January, 2005. An e-mail inquiry about several lapsed applications, including the above-identified application, was sent by Applicant's Korean representative to the undersigned on January 13, 2005. Instructions to pay were finally received by the undersigned on February 23, 2005.

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The required reply, in the form of the issue fee payment and transmittal, and the required fee for this petition under 37 CFR §1.16(a), is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'B. Urcia', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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